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**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-17 (canceled)

Claim 18 (currently amended): An immunological composition comprising a combination of ~~two, three, or~~ four distinct and separately made ~~purified~~ protein-capsular polysaccharide conjugates, wherein the first conjugate comprises the purified *N. meningitidis* capsular polysaccharide of serogroup W-135 conjugated to a carrier protein, the second conjugate comprises the purified *N. meningitidis* capsular polysaccharide of serogroup Y conjugated to a carrier protein, the third conjugate comprises the purified *N. meningitidis* capsular polysaccharide of serogroup A conjugated to a carrier protein, and the fourth conjugate comprises the purified *N. meningitidis* capsular polysaccharide of serogroup C conjugated to a carrier protein ~~wherein each of the conjugates comprises a purified capsular polysaccharide from *N. meningitidis* of serogroup A, C, W-135 or Y conjugated to a carrier protein, wherein at least one serogroup is W-135 or Y, further wherein said immunological composition is capable of eliciting an immune response in a human to at least one~~ each of said polysaccharides.

Claims 19-57 (canceled)